

Chambers of Senior Judge Napoleon A. Jones, Jr.

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**Napoleon A. Jones, Jr.**
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: San Diego State 1962 BA,
1967 MSW; San Diego 1971 JD
Began Service: September 19, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Academic: Child Protective and Placement Services, San Diego Welfare Department (1967-1969); Instructor, San Diego State University (1978-1982)

Government: Foster Home Placement, Public Welfare Department, County of Santa Clara, California (1966-1967)

Judicial: Judge, San Diego Municipal Court (1977-1982); Judge, California Superior Court, San Diego Judicial District (1982-1989); Presiding Judge, California Superior Court, Juvenile Court Division, San Diego Judicial District (1989-1992); Judge, California Superior Court, Criminal Division (1992-1994)

Legal Practice: Staff Attorney, California Rural Legal Assistance (1972-1973); Staff Attorney, Defenders, Inc. (1973-1975); Partner, Jones, Cazares, Adler & Lopez (1975-1977)

Military Service: United States Army (1962-1965)

Current Memberships: California Association of Black Lawyers; California Judges Association; E.B. Gilliam Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges; National Bar Association; Ninth Circuit District Judges Association

Staff

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Ruben B. Brooks
Presiding Magistrate Judge

Began Service: September 2, 1993
Term Expires: September 1, 2015

Staff

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Louisa S. Porter
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Indiana 1969 BA; San Diego 1977 JD
Began Service: June 19, 1991
Term Expires: June 1, 2015

Legal Practice: Private Civil Trial Practice (1977-1991)

Current Memberships: The American Inns of Court; Federal Magistrate Judges Association

Staff

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Leo S. Papas
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1944
Began Service: June 26, 1991
Term Expires: 2014

Judicial: Presiding Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of California

Staff

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Anthony J. Battaglia
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
Education: Cal Western 1974 JD
Began Service: November 15, 1993
Term Expires: November 14, 2015

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; San Diego County Bar Association; San Diego County Judges Association

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Chambers of Magistrate Judge Peter C. Lewis

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Peter C. Lewis
Magistrate Judge

Education: Cal Western 1978 JD
Began Service: June 28, 2004
Term Expires: June 2012

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Cathy Ann Bencivengo

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Cathy Ann Bencivengo
Magistrate Judge**United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of California**

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Number of Judgeships: 4

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Peter W. Bowie
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
Education: Wake Forest 1964 BA; San Diego 1971 JD
Began Service: March 2, 1988
Term Expires: 2016

Academic: Adjunct Lecturer, California Western School of Law (1979-1983)

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